

# Data Sheet IDO1 Fluorogenic Inhibitor Screening Assay Kit Catalog # 72037

**DESCRIPTION:** The *IDO1 Fluorogenic Inhibitor Screening Assay Kit* is designed to measure enzyme inhibition of indoleamine 2,3-dioxygenase 1 (IDO1). The kit comes in a convenient format, with enough reaction solution and enzyme to perform a total of 96 reactions. The *IDO1 Fluorogenic Inhibitor Screening Assay Kit* is simple to use and detects fluorescence at long wavelengths, which minimizes potential errors due to compound interference. In the assay, the inhibitor and enzyme are added to a sample containing L-Trp substrate. After a 1 hour incubation at room temperature, the fluorescence solution is added and incubated at 37°C for four hours. Activity is measured by reading sample fluorescence at  $\lambda$ =510 nm following excitation of the reaction product at  $\lambda$ =400 nm.

**BACKGROUND:** L-tryptophan (L-Trp) is an essential amino acid necessary for protein synthesis in mammalian cells and the L-Trp to kynurenine (Kyn) pathway is firmly established as a key regulator of innate and adaptive immunity. Catabolism of L-Trp to Kyn maintains an immunosuppressive microenvironment by starving immune cells of L-Trp and releasing degradation products of L-Trp that have immunosuppressive functions. Indoleamine 2,3-dioxygenases (IDO1 & IDO2), two of the rate limiting enzymes in this pathway, are upregulated in many tumors, providing cancer cells with an avenue for immune evasion.

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71182	IDO1 His-Tag	40 µg	-80°C	
73009	IDO1 Fluorogenic Reaction Solution	2 x 10 ml	-80°C	(Avoid freeze/ thaw cycles!)
73002	IDO1 Assay Buffer	1 ml	-80°C	
	Fluorescence Solution	2 x 1 ml	-80°C	cycles:/
	Black 96 Well Assay-Plate	1		
	Plate sealing film	1		

## COMPONENTS:

### MATERIALS REQUIRED BUT NOT SUPPLIED:

Fluorimeter capable of excitation at 390-410 nm and detection at 500-520 nm Adjustable micropipettor and sterile tips Rotating or rocker platform

**APPLICATIONS:** Useful for the study of IDO1 enzymology, inhibitor screening, and selectivity profiling.

**STABILITY:** At least one year from date of receipt when stored as directed.

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**CONTRAINDICATIONS:** DMSO >0.5%, strong acids or bases, ionic detergents, high salt. *Warning: the Fluorescence Solution contains a component that is known to be a skin and eye irritant, use caution and appropriate personal protective equipment when handling this component.* 

#### **REFERENCE(S)**:

1. Seegers, N., et al. J. Biomol. Screen. 2014. 19(9):1266-74.

### ASSAY PROTOCOL:

All samples and controls should be tested in duplicate. Use slow shaking for all incubations.

#### Step 1:

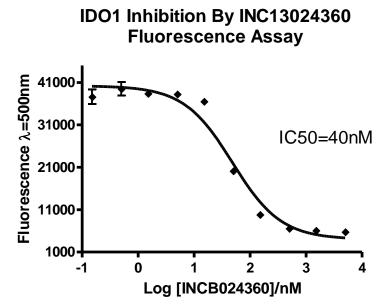
- 1) Thaw IDO1 Fluorogenic Reaction Solution and aliquot 180 µl into each well.
- 2) Add 10 µl of inhibitor solution (no more than 10% DMSO) to each well designated "Test Inhibitor." For the wells designated "Positive Control" and "Blank," add 10 µl of the same solution without inhibitor (inhibitor buffer). Note: Keep the final DMSO concentration below 0.5 %.
- 3) Dilute **IDO1 His-Tag** in **IDO1 Assay Buffer** at 40 ng/µl. Keep diluted protein on ice until use. Discard any unused diluted protein after use.

	Blank	Positive Control	Test Inhibitor
IDO1 Flurogenic Reaction Solution	180 µl	180 µl	180 µl
Test Inhibitor	-	-	10 µl
Inhibitor buffer (no inhibitor)	10 µl	10 µl	-
IDO1 Assay Buffer	10 µl	_	_
IDO1His-Tag (40 ng/µl)	-	10 µl	10 µl
Total	200 µl	200 µl	200 µl

- 4) Add 10 µl of IDO1 Assay Buffer to the wells designated "Blank."
- 5) Initiate reaction by adding 10 μl of diluted **IDO1 His-Tag** prepared as described above to the wells labeled "Positive Control" and "Test Inhibitor." Incubate at room temperature for 1 hour.
- 6) Add 20 µl **Fluorescence Solution** to each well. Seal the plate and incubate at 37°C for four hours. Allow plate to cool for 10 min.
- Unseal the plate and measure fluorescence in a fluorimeter capable of excitation at 400 nm and emission at 510 nm. Subtract "Blank" value from all other values.
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### **EXAMPLE OF ASSAY RESULTS:**



Inhibition of IDO1 activity, measured using the *IDO1 Fluorogenic Inhibitor Screening Assay Kit*, BPS Bioscience, Catalog #72034. *Data shown is lot-specific. For lot-specific information, please contact BPS Bioscience, Inc. at info@bpsbioscience.com*.

#### **RELATED PRODUCTS:**

Product	Catalog #	Size
IDO1, His-tag	71182	<u>50 μ</u> g
IDO2, His-tag	71194	50 µg
TDO, His-tag	71195	50 µg
IDO1 Inhibitor Screening Assay Kit	72021	96 rxns
IDO2 Inhibitor Screening Assay Kit	72022	96 rxns
TDO Inhibitor Screening Assay Kit	72023	96 rxns
IDO1 Cell-Based Assay Kit	72031	100 rxns
TDO Cell-Based Assay Kit	72033	100 rxns
N-formylkynurenine	73000	2 mg
NLG919	27337-1	10 mg
INCB024360	27338-1	10 mg
IDO1 Reaction Solution	73001	10 ml
IDO1 Assay Buffer	73002	1 ml
IDO2 Reaction Solution	73003	10 ml
IDO2 Assay Buffer	73004	1 ml
TDO Reaction Solution	73005	10 ml
TDO Assay Buffer	73006	1 ml

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